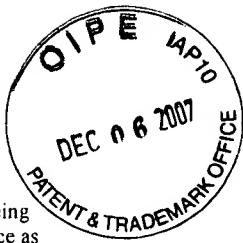


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Sir:

The undersigned filed a Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.181(a) and 1.183 to Rescind Notice of Abandonment on January 5, 2007. Kindly provide a Status Report at the Office's earliest convenience regarding the status of this request.

If conversation with the undersigned would aid in granting the Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.181(a) and 1.183 to Rescind Notice of Abandonment, a telephone call at the number below would be most welcome.

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